



Mendocino College

COURSE LEVEL STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Effective Date:

10/25/07

Title: State and Federal Government Discipline/Number: POL 200
(limit to 50 characters including spaces)

Instructor Contact: Phil Warf Date Submitted /Modified: 9/20/07

Units Min:	3	Units Max:	3	Lecture Hours:	3	Lab Hours:	0
<i>If this is a variable unit course, the relationship between earned units and any difference in expected SLOs should be explained.</i>							

Student Learning Outcomes:

- 1) Identify American political ideals and institutions.
- 2) Recognize key dynamics of how the government of the United States functions, including but not limited to the separation of powers and federalism.
- 3) Distinguish ways that media, public opinion, interest groups and the electoral process influence the government and political system.
- 4) Apply this knowledge to contemporary issues about which there is active political debate.

Assessment:

- Evaluation of essays, including homework assignments and examinations.
- Responses to specific questions on written tests.

Instructor(s): _____
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